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ORDINANCE NUMBER 127.

An ordinance creating Sewer District Number One and establishing its boundaries and providing for the payment thereof.

Be it ordained by the mayor and council of the City of McCook:

SECTION 1. A petition signed by more than one-half of the legal voters residing in and owning the blocks hereinafter described, as shown by the record of Red Willow county, Nebraska, has been presented to the mayor and council praying for the formation of a sewer district to be known as Sewer District Number One, to embrace all of the lots in blocks numbered one to thirty inclusive in the original town of McCook and in blocks numbered one to twenty-six inclusive in the First Addition and in blocks numbered from three to sixteen inclusive in block twenty-one and in blocks numbered four to thirty-four inclusive in the Second Addition; also, in blocks numbered three, six, seven, ten and eleven in the Fourth Addition; all in the city of McCook, Nebraska.

SECTION 2. The city engineer or a special engineer employed by the mayor and city council for the purpose shall at once draw up plans, specifications and details for the construction of the sewer or sewers within said sewer district as shown by the plat and a sewer map now on file in the city clerk's office, and submit the same together with an estimate of the cost of construction thereof to the mayor and city council. When such report has been submitted and accepted by the city council, the city clerk shall advertise for bids for labor and material for the construction of the sewers, stating therein the amount of the estimate, and the time and place of opening bids and awarding contract. That a certified check must accompany each bid, and that the successful bidder will be required to give a bond to the city conditioned for the faithful execution of his contract, which bond shall be for a sum equal to one-half of the contract price awarded. The notice shall be published for at least twenty days in some newspaper published in the city of McCook.

SECTION 3. The mayor and city clerk will sign and attest the contract for the construction of the sewer, and the mayor shall approve the bond of the contractor. All expenses in providing plans, specifications and estimates, labor and material, and construction of district sewers, and constructive engineering and inspection, shall be borne by the owner of the lots benefited thereby and in no case will the city of McCook be liable therefor.

SECTION 4. After the contract has been entered into and the bond approved for the construction of the laterals and drains provided for in the McCook system of sewerage has been approved by the mayor and city council, a board of equalization as provided for by ordinance, and payment for the cost and expenses of constructing the sewers, and providing plans and constructive engineering, shall be paid upon estimate and voucher by warrant upon the special levy in a way to be provided for in the contract and in no case will the city of McCook be liable for any expense whatsoever.

SECTION 5. This ordinance to take effect and be in force from and after passage, approval and publication.

Passed and approved this 9th day of July, 1906.
Attest: W. A. MIDDLETON, Mayor.
H. P. WAITE, City Clerk.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

Robert M. Moore and Jennie Moore, defendants, will take notice that on the 3rd day of July, 1906, Joseph C. Moore, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to quiet a title in the plaintiff and to the east half of the north-east quarter and the east half of the south-east quarter, section twenty-three, township two, north, range twenty-six, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, and for a decree that the defendants and each of them, be decreed to have no interest in said premises of any nature whatsoever.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 13th day of August, 1906.

Dated this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1906.

By Boyle & Eldred, his Attorneys. T-6-415

ORDER OF HEARING.

The State of Nebraska, Red Willow county, ss. In the county court.

In the matter of the estate of William Coleman, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Fannie Coleman praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Frank Coleman as administrator. Ordered, that on July 23rd, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock p. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the McCook Tribune, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing. Dated July 2nd, 1906.—T-6-315.

H. L. PETERSON, Sheriff.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order issued out of the County court of Red Willow, in the State of Nebraska, to me directed, whereby I am commanded to advertise and sell the property heretofore attached in an action pending in said court, wherein John Burdick is plaintiff and Standard Best Sugar Company is defendant, to satisfy a judgment heretofore rendered in said action in favor of said plaintiff, I will at one o'clock p. m. on the 5th day of July, 1906, at the scale house, located on the right of way, of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, east of the stock yards, in Willow Grove Precinct, in said county, offer for sale at public vendue, the following goods and chattels, to-wit: one scale house and contents, one large wagon, and one automobile, to-wit: "461 Nebraska", taken on a writ of attachment issued in said action, as the property of said Standard Best Sugar Company. Dated this 21st day of June, 1906.

H. L. PETERSON, Sheriff.

Important Notice.

All persons are hereby notified and warned that TRESPASS in any form on the following described lands in Red Willow county will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law: W½NW¼, 9, W½SW¼, 1-4-30. Somers land. E½NE¼, 9, E½SE¼, 1-4-30. Oliphant land. E½NW¼, 8-1-29. Cregar land.

D. S. Farnham, owner, Newton Centre, Mo. 6-8-6mos* W. S. MORLAN, Attorney, McCook.

PEPPYS AND EVELYN.

DiffERENCE IN METHODS OF THESE TWO FAMOUS DIARISTS.

Peppys' narrative is always dramatic—himself being the center of the play—while Evelyn is historical, pathetic or didactic, as the mood seizes him. Peppys gives us the comedy of his time, as Plautus and Terence gave us the comedy of theirs. Evelyn, on the other hand, has something of Livy in his composition and not a little of Cicero. Compare, for instance, their treatment of the great fire, and you may measure the distance between them. Thus it is that Peppys' account begins: "Some of our maids, sitting up late last night to get things ready against our feast to-day, Jane called us up about 3 in the morning to tell us of a great fire they saw in the city. So I rose and slipped on my nightgown and went to her window." And now turn to Evelyn and see the temper in which he views the destruction of the city. "The clouds of smoke were dismal and reached upon computation near fifty miles in length," he writes the day after the fire. "Thus I left it this afternoon burning, a resemblance of Sodom or the last day. It forcibly called to my mind that passage, 'Non enim hic habemus stabilem civitatem.' The ruins resembling the picture of Troy. London was, but it is no more!"

Peppys sets the scene before you like a man; Evelyn reflects upon the tragedy like a writer, ingenious in reference and quick with allusion. We need not discuss which is the better method, but it may surely be said that the world will produce another Evelyn before it fashions a fitting rival for Peppys.—London Spectator.

ANCIENT BELLS.

Well Known to the Egyptians Before the Jewish Exodus.

Bells were well known to the Egyptians before the time of the Jewish Exodus. In the description of Aaron's sacerdotal robe mention is made of the fact that upon the hem of the garment there were bells of gold alternating with pomegranates of blue, of purple and of scarlet: "A golden bell and a pomegranate upon the hem of the robe round about. And it shall be upon Aaron to minister, and his sound shall be heard when he goeth into the holy place before the Lord and when he cometh out, that he die not."

Hand bells were in common use all over the ancient world. The earliest use of bells in churches was for the purpose of frightening away the evil spirits which were believed to infest earth and air, and the earliest curfew was rung at nightfall to rid the neighborhood of the village or town and church of demons. Most old churches of Europe have a small door on the north side, and at certain points in the service this door was opened and a bell was rung to give notice to the devil, if he chanced to be present, that he might make his exit before the elevation. By the command of Pope John IX, church bells were rung as a protection against thunder and lightning.

The monument of Porsena, the Etrurian king, was decorated with pinnacles, each surmounted with a bell, which tinkled in the breeze. The army of Clothaire raised the siege of Sens on account of a panic occasioned among the men by a sudden chime from the bells of St. Stephen's church.

No Time For Surgery.

The average woman thinks the sun and stars would cease to shine sooner than that she could interfere with the regular routine of household duties. A Sabetha woman was recently informed by her physician that she would have to have an operation performed. She said she didn't see how she could; that Monday was washing day, Tuesday ironing day, Wednesday the missionary society met, Thursday was the day to clean up, Friday to bake, Saturday to give the children their baths and mend. If he could get it in Sunday after dinner and before evening services perhaps she would try it.—Kansas City Journal.

The Sardinians.

Sardinia was a wild place in the middle of the last century. A traveler says: "The men are clothed in goatskins, one before and another behind, without breeches, shoes or stockings, and a woolen or skin cap on the head. The women have no other habiliments than a long woolen gown and a woolen cap. The peasants always go armed to defend themselves from one another, so that traveling in the interior is extremely unsafe without an escort, and it is even dangerous for ships to send their people on shore for water unless they are well armed. In short, the Sardinians are the Malays of the Mediterranean."

Nature's Methods.

When one is sick there is usually something in the stomach that nature wants to throw up. When one has diarrhea nature is striving to remove offending material from the system. When one perspires profusely nature is getting rid of blood poisons through the skin. One should never attempt to check any such effort without being sure that its arrest will be beneficial.

The Alexandrian Era.

The Alexandrian era is by some authorities begun with the death and by others with the birth of Alexander the Great. For a long time after the death of Alexander this era was in common use in Egypt and many of the countries which had been under his rule. It began Nov. 12, 324 B. C.

It Is Queer.

"It's queer!" "What?" "The man who pays as he goes is most welcome to stay."—American Spectator.

The Czarina

AS A

Caricaturist



THE CZARINA'S PICTURE OF TOGO.

ABOUT the last thing one would fancy the wife of an emperor doing is drawing cartoons. Yet that is the favorite occupation of the czarina of Russia. She was about the only member of the imperial household who could see any fun in the war waged so unsuccessfully against Japan. Not that the gentle helpmeet of the emperor was unmindful of the sufferings of the war caused, for she is a woman of sympathetic nature and devoted to the welfare of the people over whom her husband rules, but she saw no harm in getting a little amusement out of drawing caricatures of the leading Japanese warriors, exaggerating their physical peculiarities and entertaining the members of her family and the court by these manifestations of her artistic talent. A Russian paper not long since published a number of caricatures of Oyama, Togo, Kuroki, Nodzu, Oku, Nogi and other distinguished Japanese soldiers and stated that the drawings were the work of the empress. Judging by these evidences of her skill, the wife of Nicholas II. might be able to make a respectable living from drawing comic sketches if the Russian revolutionists should succeed in their threats of demolishing her husband's throne and she had to do something to keep the wolf away.

But Marshal Oyama and Admiral Togo and other Japanese fighters are not the only celebrities upon whom the czarina has tried her skill as a caricaturist. She has drawn pictures holding various members of the Russian court up to ridicule, and even the czar himself has not escaped her satire. It was a long time before she ventured to trifle in this way with the dignity of the



MARSHAL OYAMA. GENERAL KUROKI.



THE CZARINA AND HER CARICATURES OF OYAMA AND KUROKI.

"little father." Almost every important member of the court had suffered except the czar, and he repeatedly urged her to try her hand at a sketch of himself. At last she yielded, and the cartoon appeared. It represented the emperor crowned and bearing his scepter, but seated in a baby carriage and drawn with a thread by his mother. The sketch caused much constrained amusement among the courtiers, but the czar professed to be unable to see the point and was anything but pleased with the production, it is said.

The czarina is accomplished in many ways. She can paint as well as sketch and is an expert wood carver. As a Christmas gift for the infant czar, she made a toy which is an exact model of the czar's favorite chalet, or summer palace, in the imperial pleasure grounds attached to Tsarskoe-Selo palace. The model, which is beautifully carved in white wood, is built up of eighty-four separate parts and can be pulled to pieces by the imperial baby. Perhaps it has already been pulled to pieces so often as to have lost its semblance to a chalet.

The czarina can row and swim and is fond of horses and horseback riding. She spends a great deal of her time playing with her children, but is not unmindful of the duties which pertain to her high position, and has given much study to questions relating to the condition of the peasantry. She has read all the best works on the English poor law and placed herself at the head of the body charged with the arrangements for poor law relief in Russia. Her influence with her husband has been in the direction of reform, but the reactionary and autocratic influences of the courtiers and bureaucrats who surround the ruler have often prevented her ideas from receiving any practical effect. Perhaps it was a realization of this fact that once prompted her to draw a caricature of her imperial spouse representing him as a solemn, bearded infant in long clothes, surrounded by a host of pompous officials armed with feeding bottles.

The Russian empress is regarded as one of the handsomest of the many granddaughters of Queen Victoria. Her mother was Victoria's "Sweet Princess Alice," who married the Grand Duke Louis of Hesse.

FINEST BANK NOTE PAPER.

Where the Material For Our Greenbacks Is Made.

The national flag flies over the "government mill," owned by the Crane family at Dalton, Mass., because all the paper for the United States greenbacks is made there. It is one of a group of mills in which the Cranes have made paper for more than a century. The founder was Zenas Crane. Before he could get the first mill started he had to have a large quantity of rags. But rags were scarce in those days than now. The Italian had not then arrived, the junk shop was unknown, and, although the rag buyer passed through the streets of Boston once a week, he had not yet appeared in the western part of the state. This resulted in an appeal to the people, based on high economic and patriotic grounds. Handbills appeared with the headlines in large type: "Americans, encourage your own manufactures, and they will improve! Ladies, save your rags!"

They were carried to all the homes and shops in Berkshire and adjoining counties, urging "every woman who has the good of her country and the interests of her family at heart" to save her rags and send them to the new factory or to the nearest storekeeper, "and a generous price will be paid." When the mill was ready the rags were there in abundance, and operations at once commenced. The working force consisted of four men, two girls and a small boy, with Zenas Crane as superintendent and chief proprietor. The paper was made in hand molds, and the output was 100 pounds a day. Today the output is many tons of the finest bank note paper—World's Work.

THE WIND BELL.

How It Is Constructed In Japan, Its Original Home.

The wind bell, as its name implies, is made to ring by the action of the wind—in fact, the wind bell is not a bell at all, strictly speaking, but a contrivance composed of a number of pendants suspended in a circle from a ring and hung close together so that they will come into contact and produce sounds when swayed by the winds.

Some wind bells produce sounds that are pleasing and musical. Some are made with glass pendants, some with pendants of metal; some are very small and simple in construction, others are large and massive and elaborate.

The original home of the wind bell is Japan. In its simplest form it is composed of a number of narrow strips of glass, perhaps six inches in length, suspended lengthwise from a wire ring about two inches in diameter. Within the circle formed by the strips thus suspended is hung by one corner a little square piece of glass halfway down the length of the long strips, the strips and the square piece ornamented with various Japanese characters and designs. This wind bell may be hung up wherever a breeze will strike it and blow the strips into contact with one another and with the square suspended among them.—Detroit News-Tribune.

Artificial Birds.

In very early times men began to experiment with a view to making artificial birds and animals that would imitate the motions of living creatures, and if we are to believe the records, some of the artists in that line were remarkably successful.

Archytas of Tarentum, who lived in the year 400 B. C., constructed an artificial pigeon that could fly, but which was not able to resume its flight after once alighting.

John Muller, a German of great mechanical skill, constructed an artificial eagle, which on the entry of Emperor Maximilian into Nuremberg flew out to meet him, and, returning, alighted on the city gate to await his approach.

A Parson's Swearing.

"Parson" Blodgett, a former local preacher residing in Linden, had in front of his house a watering trough freely patronized by people riding by. One evening a man hurriedly drove up to water his horse, and the wheel of his wagon struck the trough violently. The "parson" came out hurriedly and cried: "Hog rabbited to hemp seed tobacco! Can't you drive straight?"

"Go in and shut the door," replied the driver, "and next time you want to swear, parson, do it like other men."—Boston Herald.

A Funny Siamese Custom.

They have a very funny fashion in Siam. When an inferior comes into the presence of a superior he throws himself upon the ground. Then the superior sends one of his attendants forward to see whether the prostrate man has been eating anything or has any offensive odor about him. If he be blameless in this respect the attendant raises him from the ground, but if he be guilty the attendant straightway kicks him out.

Liquor In Candies.

"Practically every known liquor, as well as whisky and brandy, is made up into candy in one form or another," says a Chicago confectioner. "You can get in bonbons of various kinds creme de menthe, cognac, kummel, Chartreuse, cherry brandy or benedictine."

An Old One In A New Way.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what was the first talking machine made out of? Father—Well, my boy, the first one was made out of a rib.—New York Times.

Many a ruined man dates his downfall from the day when he began borrowing money.—Success Magazine.

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